

# THE WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Forecast: San Francisco and vicinity—Rain this afternoon and tonight; showers Tuesday; brisk to high southeast wind, changing to southwesterly.

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# UNITED STATES SENATOR BURTON GUILTY

## TOOK MONEY TO INFLUENCE POSTOFFICE OFFICIALS AT WASHINGTON.

He May be Sent to the Penitentiary or Fined \$10,000 on Each Count —Makes a Motion for a New Trial.

ST. LOUIS, March 28.—Jos. Ralph Burton, United States Senator from Kansas, was convicted by a jury in the United States District Court today on the charge of having accepted compensation to further the interests of a private corporation before the Postoffice Department.

The jury deliberated 48 hours.

A motion for a new trial was immediately filed by Counsel for the Senator.

Judge Adams thereupon ordered that Senator Burton appear in court either in person or by proxy at 10 o'clock from day to day until the court has heard the argument for a new trial and if decided against him, to fix his punishment.

### ONE JUROR HELD OUT.

For a time there threatened to be a disagreement in the jury. The jury was brought before Judge Adams, who asked the cause for the long delay. He was told that 11 jurors had agreed but the twelfth stood alone. The court admonished the lone juror that the expense of a new trial should not be incurred in case of him failing to agree with the majority of the jurors. A precedent is quoted to show that the majority of the jury should decide the case before them and a verdict be rendered accordingly. The jury was then told to poll its vote once more.

Soon after the jury reported, bringing in a verdict, but Judge Adams found that the third count in the indictment had not been considered and again sent the jury back to consider the case without having announced the verdict returned. The third time the jury entered the court room the result of its deliberations was announced and United States Senator Burton stood convicted on charges brought against him in the indictment.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., March 28.—A Star special from St. Louis says:

By the time that the jury was received by the court that the jury had agreed and was ready with a verdict, Senator Burton had gone to the Southern Hotel. A marshal was sent to notify him to appear in court. The Senator came into the court room at ten minutes after 12 o'clock. He had been sent for an hour before and the long delay caused a rumor that he had collapsed. Few people were in the courtroom when he entered. He took his seat by the side of his attorney Mr. Lehmann and looked the jurors in the face as they entered.

"Have you reached a verdict in the case?" asked Judge Adams.

"We have," said the foreman.

"Hand it to the clerk," said the court.

Judge Adams looked at the verdict and said: "You have made no disposition of count three."

"We have agreed as to that," said Charles Wall, the foreman.

The judge instructed the jurors to retire and include their findings as to count three in the written verdict.

During the few minutes the jury was out not a word was spoken in the courtroom. A funeral service could not have been more solemn. Neither W. H. Rossington, Charles B. Smith, Representative Campbell nor other friends of Senator Burton were present at this time. Senator Burton sat immovable, looking neither to the

right or the left. The jury returned again at 12:28.

### FOUND GUILTY.

"We, the jury, find the defendant guilty on counts one, two, six, eight and nine in the indictment, and not guilty on count three."

"There was no perceptible change in Senator Burton's countenance when the verdict was read. Judge Krum asked to have the jury polled. Each juror answered that the verdict was his own. Judge Krum forthwith presented a motion for a new trial. The court replied that the bond of \$5000 was entirely sufficient.

The court did not pass sentence. Court having adjourned, Senator Burton calmly lighted a cigar, and, turning to his attorneys and his private secretary, Colonel W. W. Smith, began a conversation in a low tone. He was apparently completely composed.

If this verdict is sustained Senator Burton will lose his seat in the Senate and forever be prohibited from holding any office of public trust. Each count constitutes a separate offense and Senator Burton could receive a penitentiary sentence of two years or a \$10,000 fine on each count. Senator Burton's conviction is the first under this section of the statute which was enacted in 1884.

### WANTS A NEW TRIAL.

KANSAS CITY, March 28.—A special to the Star from Topeka, Kansas, says: Lawyers who are close to Governor Bailey regard the conviction of Senator Burton as an immediate evacuation of his seat, and the contest, it is believed, will commence at once.

A judgment against a man in a case of this kind, said an ex-justice of the Kansas Supreme Court today, "is regarded by the courts as a conviction in the meaning of the statutes, even though an appeal may be taken and the decision of the lower court subsequently reversed."

Governor Bailey refuses to discuss the case.

Politicians close to the chief executive express the belief that the choice of Senator Burton's successor lies between Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General Britton of Salina, Kans., and Cyrus Leiland, former Republican national committeeman from Kansas.

### HE SURRENDERED.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 28.—Senator Burton was indicted in January last. Although as a member of Congress he could not be arrested until after that body adjourned, he voluntarily surrendered himself to the prosecution authorities. He still has two years to serve in the Senate.

### BURTON'S SEAT.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Members of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections have discussed the case of Senator Burton, but before the matter comes before them the members are loath to give their personal views. It will take action by the Senate to declare Burton's seat vacant, and this will not be taken until a court of last appeal shall declare Burton guilty.

## CANNOT TAKE THEIR MONEY OUT OF BANK.

PENKIN, March 28.—The Russo-Chinese Bank has refused to allow the withdrawal of the money on deposit with it to the credit of the Imperial University. Upon a demand for this money being made, the manager of the bank called on the Chancellor of the University and told him that his action in trying to withdraw the money showed an unwarranted lack of confidence in Russia. The Chancellor is completely subservient to Russia.

## TEN DOLLARS FOR BEST REASONS FOR BONDS.

THE TRIBUNE will offer a prize of \$10 for the best six reasons sent in to this office before 6 o'clock next Saturday night as to why the proposed issue of bonds should carry. Competitors for the prize should state their reasons as briefly as possible, and under no circumstances give over six reasons. This offer is open to all. THE TRIBUNE will in a day or two announce the committees to whom may be referred the reasons and whose decision will be final. On Monday next the names of the successful party will be printed in these columns and the money forwarded to him.

All communications should be addressed to Prize Contest Editor, OAKLAND TRIBUNE, and should be signed, with name and address of competitor.



THE ART OF OLD CATHAY IN THE GIMP OF THE MUSCOVITE, A PICTURESQUE STREET IN MUKDEN.

Mukden is the old capital of the Manchu dynasty, the founder of which established himself there in 1625. The safety of the tombs of the ancient rulers has been the subject of Chinese concern and of diplomatic correspondence. The town has three concentric walls, the innermost enclosing the palace. The streets are broad and straight and full of artistically carved signposts. Mukden trades in furs, textile fabrics and hardware.

## JAPANESE MAKE USE OF INFERNAL MACHINES.

Russians Remove the American and British Flags in New Chwang —Late War News.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28, 4:55 p. m.—Large crowds gathered before the bulletin boards today to read the official accounts of the second unsuccessful attempt of the Japanese to battle up the Russian fleet at Port Arthur.

Lieutenant Krinitski's heroic attack upon the enemy's warships and torpedo boats and the action of the three Russian officers in boarding the burning steamers, extinguishing the flames and cutting the wires connecting with the infernal machines, evoked enthusiasm, while the almost universal exclamation applied to Vice-Admiral Makaroff, as the people turned away, was "Molodetz," which might literally be translated "He's a dandy."

The action of the Japanese in making use of infernal machines has aroused indignation.

No further details have been received except that the injury to the torpedo boat destroyer Sigil from grounding is slight and that it can easily be repaired.

The Associated Press has received confirmation of the report that Admiral Makaroff during his reconnaissance of the Elliott islands, captured a Japanese vessel towing a Chinese junk, but the vessel was a small steamer, not a gunboat. The crews were taken off after both vessels were sunk.

## RUSSIA TAKES DOWN OUR FLAG.

NEW CHWANG, March 28.—The foreign Consuls had a conference with the civil administration of New Chwang this morning. The Administrator informed them that the full intentions of Russia in the order issued yesterday was to proclaim martial law, as well as to annul Consular jurisdiction in New Chwang and that this jurisdiction already had been annulled. This explanation was made by the British Consul here and interpreted the order as not declaring martial law and the other Consuls were unable yesterday to comprehend the intentions of the Russian authorities. The Administrator agreed with the Consuls to suspend the right enforcement of this order until such time as the foreign governments take action in the matter. It is believed that the execution of the order will lessen the growing complications here.

Americans in New Chwang call attention to the defeat of the aims of the government of the United States regarding the establishment of American Consuls in Manchuria, brought about by the execution of this Russian order.

The flags of the United States and of Great Britain were removed today by the Russian military authorities from the buildings and property in New Chwang of Englishmen and Americans.

## HER MAJESTY IS PLEASED WITH FUND.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—The text of the acknowledgment by the Empress of a donation of \$5000 by the Westinghouse Company for her fund for the relief of the sick and wounded is as follows:

"It has been a pleasure to Her Majesty, the Empress Alexandra Feodorovna, to express her sincere thanks to the stockholders of the Westinghouse Company, consisting chiefly of citizens of the United States, who have placed \$5000 at Her Majesty's disposal for the purpose of aiding the sick and wounded soldiers in the Far East, as well as for their expression of sympathy with Russia, which, at the present time, has peculiar value. It is my pleasant duty to inform you, sir, of this by Her Imperial Majesty's order. Please accept the assurance of my perfect esteem and regard.

(Signed) "COUNT HOSTOVSOFF."

The acknowledgment was sent personally to W. E. Smith, manager of the company.

## THEY WILL GO TO FIELD OF BATTLE.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—Captain William Judson of the Engineer Corps, U. S. A., who is to accompany the Russian army during hostilities, and Lieutenant Newton A. McCully, the United States Naval attaché to the Russian navy, probably will leave for the front April 1. United States Ambassador McCormick will present them to Foreign Minister Lamsdorff March 30. Captain Judson and Lieutenant McCully have been well received by the authorities and are being shown every courtesy and attention by the military staffs.

## THOUSAND DOLLARS STOLEN FROM A TRUNK.

A \$1000 robbery is now engaging the attention of the police. According to the story told by White Grondona, an Italian gardener residing on the west side of Fifteenth street, near Wood street, yesterday he counted over \$1000 of money raised by the Scavenger's Union to fight the crematory project in the presence of Fred Simmons of 1120 Wood street. The money was then placed in a trunk. Grondona then went fishing with some relatives. When he returned the trunk was broken open and the \$1000 gone. The police are not satisfied that all the story told by Grondona is true, but a diligent and persevering search for Simmons thus far has failed to reveal his whereabouts. This is the story of the alleged victim as told by him to Chief of Police Hodgkins: "I was given the money by the Scavenger's Union to help fight the crematory

## MARTIAL LAW IS PROCLAIMED.

CHEE FOO, March 28 (8 p. m.).—Five British merchant steamers left here today for New Chwang just before the receipt of the information that martial law had been declared there.

## GREAT DOCK FOR PORT ARTHUR.

ST. PETERSBURG, March 28.—The Government is ordering the construction of an immense dock for Port Arthur, to be completed in four months.

## WILL GO BACK TO FOLSOM.

Harry Eldridge is Fully Identified in the Seattle Jail.

SEATTLE, March 28.—Guard Corcoran of the Folsom State Prison arrived in Seattle last night and at once went to the County Jail where he immediately identified A. L. Raymond, a man under arrest as Eldridge, one of the prisoners who escaped from the prison last July after a desperate battle with the guards, in which two of them were killed and a half dozen were badly injured.

When Guard Corcoran was taken to the jail, five prisoners, among whom was Eldridge, stood in line against the wall. Corcoran stepped before them and instantly pointed out Eldridge as one of the desperadoes who escaped.

"There's the man," said Corcoran, as he walked over to Eldridge and placed his hand on his shoulder. "You're the man who stabbed me as you escaped; I know you. You can't fool me."

Eldridge said nothing. He merely smiled as the jailer led him back to his cell.

Early this morning Corcoran went to Olympia to appear before Governor McBride and ask for requisition papers. As soon as he gets the necessary papers Corcoran will take his prisoner back to Folsom.

Eldridge was sent to Folsom from Alameda county.

When you get run down and awake perspiring begin to take Piso's Consumption Cure.

### SPECIAL AUCTION SALE.

Of fine piano, elegant mahogany case, furniture, carpets, at 825 Sixth avenue, corner East Eighth street, East Oakland, on Tuesday, March 29, at 11 a. m. (Eighth street and Eighth avenue cars pass within one block.) On account of removal to Fresno we will sell one mahogany case piano, odd parlor pieces, 2 folding bed, hair mattresses, enameled iron beds, one very fine sideboard and extension table, beautiful carpets, bedroom sets, fine Universal kitchen range with gas stov. All at most new and costly furnishings in above elegant six room cottage. Also one new Remington typewriter. Ladies, attend. Sale rain or shine and peremptory. MEYSEL & MEYSEL, Auctioneers. Office, corner Eighth and Franklin, under Galindo Hotel. Phone Cedar 621.

## HELP FOR WIDOW AND ORPHANS.

Chance for Charitable People to Help the Needy.

Mother of Leslie Birch Must Be Given Assistance.

A case of distress deserving the most helpful sympathy is presented in the family of Leslie Birch, the special delivery messenger of the Postoffice, who was fatally injured by a local train last Thursday.

The boy, a brave, bright, manly little fellow, was the sole support of his widowed mother and her two small children. The family reside at 424 1/2 Eleventh street.

Mrs. Ella M. Birch, the bereaved mother, is left in absolutely destitute circumstances. She has been making a hard struggle under adverse circumstances to maintain herself and rear her orphaned children properly. Leslie, the eldest, was her stay and comfort; he repaid her loving care with a devotion that might well excite admiration. He gave her every penny he earned, and gave her assistance far beyond his years. His earnings, meager as they were, constituted the principal support of the family. His pathetic death has robbed the widow not only of her darling but the family of their maintenance.

The stricken mother and her helpless, fatherless little ones have a claim upon the sympathy and assistance of the community that cannot be ignored. Christ enjoined the care of the widow and the fatherless upon His followers; and this is a Christian community. No doubt the public will respond generously to this call of distress, but all movements require an initiative, and THE TRIBUNE has undertaken the task of calling for subscriptions, the movement having been originated by Mr. J. A. Munro, who called at the office early this morning and deposited \$25 to be placed to the credit of Mrs. Birch. To it THE TRIBUNE added another \$25.

The employees of the Postoffice, with whom little Leslie was a favorite have raised by subscription among themselves the sum of \$150.

Mr. James Taylor, the undertaker who took charge of the late funeral, generously donated the coffin, the hearse and the back for the mourning family. His example is one that commands itself to all with warm sympathy for some time to come. Let the widow be given an opportunity to "Tex" Theater is another gentleman who feels the kinship of sympathy's touch. He has generously donated the gross proceeds of the matinee and evening performance of "Tex" Theater, next Wednesday to the widow's fund. The house should be crowded on both occasions, and the generosity of the proprietor in kindly remembrance.

It is to be hoped that these examples will not be lost on the public. Let a sufficient sum be raised to place this stricken family above the pinch of poverty for some time to come. Let the widow be given an opportunity to rear and educate her children properly to the end that they may become her support and useful members of society. Let it be done, not as a charity, but as a duty, not to society but to the succoring of the poor whom God loveth.

The subscriptions to date, as they have been reported to THE TRIBUNE are as follows:

J. A. MUNRO, ..... \$ 25  
TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO., ..... 25  
POSTOFFICE EMPLOYEES, ..... 150

What Mr. Taylor's donation amounts to in cash cannot be stated, but it is extremely liberal. The benefit Mr. Peck has donated will doubtless realize a considerable sum, and from this he subtracts nothing for expenses. Now, let the community at large do as well or half so well, and this poor woman and her fatherless children will be relieved from the fear of want for some time to come. Sympathies should not be allowed to cool before they concrete into action. Nobody should hold back because others have been liberal. Subscriptions will be received by THE TRIBUNE.

### CHOICE AUCTION SALE.

We have received instructions to sell the fine Furniture, Carpets and China ware of No. 840 Castro street, Oakland. Sale Wednesday, March 30th, at 11 a. m. comprising in part: Elegant brocade parlor suite, odd parlor pieces, five lace curtains, Brussels carpets, pictures, brass and enameled beds, odd oak dressers, oak folding beds, bedding, children's beds, rockers, oak dining table and chairs to match, fine Austrian china dinner set, one reliable gas range and kitchen furniture. This is a choice lot of furniture. Only been in use four months. All must and will be sold. J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers. 1901 Park street, Alameda. Telephone Alameda 435. Call Building, San Francisco. Phone Main 5137.



# The Easter Hat

**Declares There Should be Better  
Teachers and Better Salaries--  
Address by Prof. Moses**

<p>The popular Ladies' and Misses' <b>LARGE FLAT CROWN FRENCH SAILOR</b>; mixed and plain straw—a beauty.....75c</p>	<p><b>A SWELL SHAPE</b>—for Misses and Ladies; wide rolling front, short back; all colors; trimmed with velvet straps, buckle and pretty shirred silk rosette on left under brim; only...\$2.00</p>	<p><b>JUST THE THING THAT YOU WANT—LARGE BUNCH OF VIOLET LEAVES—</b> <b>10c</b></p>
<p>Neat and stylish hat—the <b>NEW SHAPE</b> trimmed with quills and tuscan straw and velvet; black and colors; only...\$1.25</p>	<p>A wide front rolling brim, half <b>TURBAN HAT</b>; trimmed with velvet straps; mixed straw braid and quill; neat and stylish. note price...\$1.50</p>	<p><b>GERANIUMS—25c BUNCH.</b> <b>GERANIUM LEAVES</b> <b>15c bunch</b></p>
<p>Large <b>ROLLING RIM</b>, white and mixed rough straw <b>SAILORS</b> with streamers.....50c</p>	<p><b>FLOWER WREATHS</b> for children's hats, will entirely trim the crown... ..25c</p>	<p><b>CHIFFON</b>—black or white—fine quality, double width 35c yard. Extra quality, all colors...50c</p>
<p><b>MALINE</b> in all the leading shades—reseda, lavender, etc., .....15c yard</p>	<p><b>STRAW BRAID</b> in all the latest colorings and weaves. A fine assortment. A mixed braid 25c a bolt. Plain braid... ..35c bolt</p>	

The average salary of the California teacher is, I am informed, something like \$50 per month. And when you buy his board, the average teacher has paid his board and properly clothed himself, bought the books, paid for his house, and done the thousand and one things his position requires him to do—when he has paid for them all, it is safe to say that he will have but few, if any, of the fifty dollars left at the end of the month.

**WHAT COOKS GET.**  
 "Our household help, our cooks and waiters, receive on the average, half, or more than half, the pay that the average teacher receives. And out of this he cook or the waiter can, if he so desires, save many dollars in the course of the year; while the average teacher can save very few if any. The cook and the waiter, then, are better paid than the school teacher."

**POORLY PAID.**  
 "It would appear, then, that our school teachers are poorly paid. If they are indeed so, their pay ought to be increased. Here, then, where the source should be increased in power, it is not thought, one would say, 'From the State, but let us pause a moment and reflect.' The State is, as you all know, already paying generous salaries. The average State pays three times as much as the average of the public schools. The average State herself is included. The average State pays but about fifteen per

Miss California, every general school district pays about forty-five per cent of the cost. To do this, she collects in taxes every year about one dollar for every census school child in the state. She has about twenty million dollars of dollars, the interest from which goes to the support of the schools. She always pays a portion of the cost of the general schools and of the "people's" one and one-half cents or every hundred dollars of assessed valuation. She pays a grant, free University, one of the best in the world, to the University of the poor and a poor woman's University. If there ever were one! She has five normal schools, from which well-trained teachers may be sent without stint. She conducts a large industrial school, the education of the unfortunate deaf, dumb and blind. She has paid of the cost of the schools and of the care of her children, her future citizens. She does not begrudge one cent of the four and one-half millions of dollars that she has contributed to the support of her magnificent system.

**THE BURDEN.**  
 "But, in order to raise the great sums of money that the State requires to conduct its vast business affairs under our present clumsy and inadequate system of revenue and taxation, the burdens are now unevenly distributed. . . . It is now the property pays most of the cost of running the State Government."

ing such property cannot be paid, the eyes of the county are averted; it is compelled to. Time was when the State of California when personal property had the cost of government. Today, personal property pays less than twenty per cent. of the cost of the State, while really pays over fifty per cent thereof. This is not as should be. Our revenue and taxation information badly in need that this Union only a small part of the State revenues are raised by direct tax-

**TAXATION.**

And, until that reformation be had, all the burdens of taxation be properly apportioned, I would suggest to the teachers of the State that they look to sources other than the State for the increase in salaries that should be theirs.

nearer home, to the communities, counties, the cities whose children you are teaching, and whose people they love well and intimately. For there the needs of taxation can be more evenly distributed, when the State's business is transacted by the county officers and State's assessments determined by county assessors. When that time

Finally, to recapitulate: We need more and better teachers (no that those we have are anything but good).

men badly. We need more men  
women who will take a  
serious life work, and we  
to get them we must offer them  
inducements than we are now of-  
fering them. We ought to pay them  
higher salaries, and we ought to increase  
the greater salaries by substantial per-  
centage at fixed, and not too long, in-  
tervals, so that each teacher may have  
an inducement to continue long in the

ice, and so that his increasing needs  
be met and provided for. But, until  
revenue and taxation laws of the  
ready overburdened State be reformed  
equalized, the teachers should seek  
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# E WILL HANG AT SAN QUENTIN

ANCISCO OCHOA WILL HAVE  
TO PAY PENALTY FOR

AKERSFIELD, Cal., March 28.—  
Francisco Ochoa who in May 1899 mur-  
dered his mistress in this city was this

ing by Judge Conley of Madera  
enced to be hanged at San Quentin  
May 27th in accordance with the  
final decision of the Supreme Court.  
He was pale and nervous, but had  
nothing to say. His counsel, Senator  
Pardee for a commutation of sen-

**OAKLAND RAINFALL.**  
The rainfall for the last forty-eight  
season was 1.46 inches; 28.97 inches for  
season to date and 22.07 inches  
season up to the same time.

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ROBBER PLEADS HIS CASE.      MINERS TO MAKE A FIGHT.      CHILI WILL SELL WARSHIPS.

SUMS REALIZED TO BE DONATED  
TO NAVIES OF CHILI AND

SANTIAGO DE CHILE, March 28.—Arrangements are being made for Chile to sell the battleship Pratt, the armored cruiser Edmiralda and the cruiser Chacabuco, and for Argentina to sell the armored cruisers Garibaldi and Pueyrredon.

Senor Terry, the Minister of Argentina in Chile, leaves for Buenos Ayres shortly to arrange the matter. The sums realized by the sales of these war

A despatch from Santiago, March 23 said that a representative of Charles R. Flint announced that the Chilean warships Captain Price and Chacabuco had been bought, but that a guarantee had been given that they should not be sold to any belligerent power. The sale, it was added, must be approved by Congress.

## WANTS ACCOUNTING FROM MULLIGANS.

and Peter Mulligan both be cited to appear in court and set forth what interests they have in the estate. The contest has been brought by Timothy Carberry, a brother of the deceased, who was not remembered in the will.

Thomas Carberry, prior to his death, made his home with the Mulligans. When his will was prepared it was found that he had left his entire estate to his son, William, and the brother now asserts that he was unduly influenced in the matter. Pending the proceedings Martin Tahaney, counsel for the Mulligans, has been retained.

he estate and asks for an accounting from the Mulligans of the property which they have refused to turn over to him and which he alleges to be worth more

TO FORECLOSE MORTGAGE.  
Suit for the foreclosure of mortgage

as begun today by Frank G. Watson  
against Harriet M. and James McCaw.  
The property is located at Alice and  
thirteenth streets, upon which there are  
three mortgages aggregating \$5000.

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**MAKES ACCOUNTING.**

John M. Heaney has filed an inventory of the matter of the estate of the late Mary Heaney, showing that he has received \$211.11 on behalf of the estate of which he is executor.

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**Dry Goods**

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STOCK IS FAST DISAPPEAR-  
ING. ONLY A  
**Short**

**TIME REMAINS TO GET THESE  
UNPRECEDENTED BARGAINS  
BEFORE WE MOVE INTO OUR**

BEFORE WE MOVE INTO OUR  
NEW STORE IN THE BACON  
BLOCK.

**P. FLYNN**  
N. W. Cor. 13th and Franklin Sts.



## THE LATEST NEWS.

## DUNNING TELLS STORY BRUTAL ON THE STAND. MURDER BY CLERK.

Mrs. Botkin Does Not Flinch When She Hears Him Tell of Their Liason.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—Wet and steamy, but undisturbed, the regular attendants at the Botkin trial gathered in Judge Cook's court this morning. The weather did not dampen their curiosity and the eager-eyed men and women stood in a long line that wound about the corridor before the doors opened, like a gallery audience before a Patti concert. They were repaid for their patience in what has proved the sensation of the trial. John Dunning, for love of whom Mrs. Botkin is accused of murdering her husband, told of their liason, while the woman, tense and nervous, never took her eyes from his face. Dunning, however, did not glance at her, while the woman, before this, however, there was other testimony from other witnesses, which proved a more or less tiresome identification of handwriting and a candy-box seal.

Oscar A. Foster, a letter-carrier, who remembered Mrs. Botkin at the Victoria Hotel, where he frequently delivered her mail in 1898, was the first witness of the day. He was a witness in the former trial, when Attorney Knight had admitted that two cards in evidence were in Mrs. Botkin's handwriting. He identified the cards, being familiar with the writing, and was thereupon excused.

John F. Seymour, told of going to the Victoria Hotel at Chief Lee's request on August 24, 1898, to secure Mrs. Botkin's trunk. The following day he went again to room 26 at the Victoria with Detective Gibson, when a search was made for arsenic and wine. He had not seen it there, nor the scrap of Mrs. Botkin's writing that was also subsequently found there.

Mr. Knight then assumed a belligerent tone with Captain Seymour, who, nevertheless, remained quiet. He did not examine the contents of the trunk and did not know if any arsenic was found in it.

"Where did you look for wine?" asked Knight, "on the ceiling?"

"No, underneath the floor," answered the witness, pleasantly.

"On the second visit you examined the room for evidence and you did not put this in the floor?"

"I did not."

"But if you had seen it you would have taken it to Chief Lee, wouldn't you?"

"You would have seen a piece of paper lying in plain sight on the couch?"

It was evident Mr. Knight suspected something. It might have been Captain Seymour's oversight.

Julius Fay followed. He was City and County Assessor in 1898. He identified Mrs. Botkin's handwriting and was succeeded by William Raymond, formerly cashier of the City of Paris. He knew Mrs. Botkin and had cashed money orders for her, so he identified more of her writing in a signature on a money order for \$20, which he had cashed on her on June 18, 1898. There was no money Mrs. Botkin grew rather vividly interested. She was obviously averse to the admission of money orders displaying her handwriting.

Just here there was a little difficulty between Knight and Raymond, that looked promising for a moment, but ended to the disappointment of the dress circle.

"I heard a remark then," said Raymond, "stating that you had been in the room for the purpose of looking for arsenic and wine, and that you had been intended for the jury. I can't know."

"Who made it?" snapped Knight.

"The defendant made it."

Mrs. Botkin snuffed and Knight brushed the matter aside as of no importance.

Detective Gibson told of his visit with Captain Seymour to room 26 at the Victoria when they went in search of evidence. He told of the search for arsenic and wine in the room, and that he had found a piece of paper lying in plain sight on the couch.

Knight cast suspicion on Detective Gibson's evidence, as well as that of Captain Seymour, because he was unable to find the Haas candy seal under the couch when searching for arsenic and wine in Mrs. Botkin's apartment.

Mr. Rosello was called. He had gone into room 26 on September 7, with Mr. Barnes, and had found the seal overlooked by the two detectives, but he was modest about it. He said it was under the fringe of the rug, so had escaped notice. The seal was offered in evidence and accepted by the court. Mr. Rosello often saw Mrs. Botkin at the Victoria.

In cross-examination it developed that Rosello and Barnes had met in the District Attorney's office on Friday, after Barnes had testified. Also, that he had read Barnes' testimony in the papers.

It is seemed he a matter of great import in Mr. Knight's opinion, though Mr. Rosello said he only read it in the published accounts of the trial because he was interested.

Why Mr. Rosello moved from room 23 at the Victoria to room 26, proved to be only a desire to have a better room. There was a short drama enacted with Knight impersonating Barnes and Rosello impersonating himself on the occasion of finding the seal. He acted the incident with much realism.

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"Call Mr. Dunning," said the District Attorney, and a buzz of interest rose in the court room.

Mrs. Botkin looked intently at some papers on the table before her and Dunning walked slowly into the room, apparently unmoved by the presence of the woman who is accused of poisoning his wife.

## WOULD DISTRIBUTE THE MERLE ESTATE.

A final account and petition for distribution in the matter of the estate of the late Jacques A. Merle was filed today by A. J. Merle and W. H. L. L.

Merle, as had been one of Mr. Knight's numerous insinuations. He had not seen it there, nor the scrap of Mrs. Botkin's writing that was also subsequently found there.

Mr. Knight then assumed a belligerent tone with Captain Seymour, who, nevertheless, remained quiet. He did not examine the contents of the trunk and did not know if any arsenic was found in it.

"Where did you look for wine?" asked Knight, "on the ceiling?"

"No, underneath the floor," answered the witness, pleasantly.

"On the second visit you examined the room for evidence and you did not put this in the floor?"

"I did not."

"But if you had seen it you would have taken it to Chief Lee, wouldn't you?"

"You would have seen a piece of paper lying in plain sight on the couch?"

It was evident Mr. Knight suspected something. It might have been Captain Seymour's oversight.

Julius Fay followed. He was City and County Assessor in 1898. He identified Mrs. Botkin's handwriting and was succeeded by William Raymond, formerly cashier of the City of Paris. He knew Mrs. Botkin and had cashed money orders for her, so he identified more of her writing in a signature on a money order for \$20, which he had cashed on her on June 18, 1898. There was no money Mrs. Botkin grew rather vividly interested. She was obviously averse to the admission of money orders displaying her handwriting.

Just here there was a little difficulty between Knight and Raymond, that looked promising for a moment, but ended to the disappointment of the dress circle.

"I heard a remark then," said Raymond, "stating that you had been in the room for the purpose of looking for arsenic and wine, and that you had been intended for the jury. I can't know."

"Who made it?" snapped Knight.

"The defendant made it."

Mrs. Botkin snuffed and Knight brushed the matter aside as of no importance.

Detective Gibson told of his visit with Captain Seymour to room 26 at the Victoria when they went in search of evidence. He told of the search for arsenic and wine in the room, and that he had found a piece of paper lying in plain sight on the couch.

Knight cast suspicion on Detective Gibson's evidence, as well as that of Captain Seymour, because he was unable to find the Haas candy seal under the couch when searching for arsenic and wine in Mrs. Botkin's apartment.

Mr. Rosello was called. He had gone into room 26 on September 7, with Mr. Barnes, and had found the seal overlooked by the two detectives, but he was modest about it. He said it was under the fringe of the rug, so had escaped notice. The seal was offered in evidence and accepted by the court. Mr. Rosello often saw Mrs. Botkin at the Victoria.

In cross-examination it developed that Rosello and Barnes had met in the District Attorney's office on Friday, after Barnes had testified. Also, that he had read Barnes' testimony in the papers.

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## Slays His Wife and Then Takes His Own Life.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Charles G. Foster, a clerk employed in the White House, shot and killed his wife and himself in Kensington, Md., today.

For some time he had shown evidences of despondency.

## SETTLEMENT IS IN SIGHT.

B. T. C. AT SACRAMENTO REFUSED TO RECOGNIZE CITIZENS' ALLIANCE.

SACRAMENTO, March 28.—The settlement of the labor troubles which have tied up the building industry in this city for the past week, is in sight.

The action of the Citizens' Alliance last week in turning the builders and contractors' side of the controversy back to them for adjustment with their old employees paves the way for arbitration.

The Building Trades Council refused to recognize the alliance and insisted that as long as that organization managed the building and contractors' side of the fight all talk of arbitration was useless.

Today preliminary steps for a conference between the representatives of the disputants are being taken. The points to be settled are the demands of the plumbers and hod carriers, the former demanding \$4.50 and the latter \$4 a day.

## MONEY ORDER TREATY.

CUBA COMES TO AN AGREEMENT WITH UNCLE SAM.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—A money order treaty between this Government and Cuba was agreed upon at a conference today between Acting Postmaster General Wynne and Minister Quesada of Cuba. It will go into effect probably about May 1.

It is modeled on the existing money order treaties with Canada, New Foundland and the Philippine Islands and practically the domestic service of this country to Cuba. The basis of the settlement of the account was that the two countries will be the paid orders themselves instead of the more complicated system in force with other countries.

## CASHIER FOR P. O.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 28.—There will be a new cashier at the San Francisco Postoffice next Friday. Although no announcement has been made, either official or unofficial, it has leaked out that a change is scheduled for April 1 and that on that day J. Wertheimer will succeed E. A. O'Connor.

The retiring cashier is a Democrat and the cashier to be is a Republican, but the appointment of Wertheimer has no political significance. As the position is the most important in the gift of the Postmaster, politicians generally agree that it is no more than right that the head of the office should have a personal representative at the cashier's desk. That, it is understood, is the only reason for the change.

Postmaster Fisk is under a bond of \$400,000. His cashier handles on an average of \$10,000 a day, the stamp business alone footing up a million and a half dollars a year.

Can Reduce Rates.

LOS ANGELES, March 28.—The right of a municipality to make a reduction in the rates charged by a corporation for public service was upheld by Judge Ross of the United States Circuit Court in a decision today in the case of the Consolidated Water Company of Pomona against the city of Pomona. The company had secured a temporary injunction reduction of 20 per cent in its water rates, and Judge Ross' ruling was made against the company on an application to have the restraining order made permanent.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Champ Clark of Missouri declared that only when men of all races cease committing rapes will lynchings cease. He then delivered a speech on the tariff.

## TALKED ABOUT GENERAL MILES TALKS OF PATRIOTISM.

COUNCILMEN MEET AT THE HOME OF JOHN L. HOWARD.

On Saturday night last Councilman Howard, Dorn, Cuvellier, Pendleton and Elliot met at Councilman Howard's home and discussed the bond issue and the matter of municipal water supply.

The discussion so far as the water question was concerned was confined principally to the question of the installation of meters. From the fact that it would cost more than \$150,000 to install the meters, the majority of the Councilmen present were opposed to the plan.

In the matter of bonds it was decided to keep all the park propositions separate. There was a scheme to merge them all into one general proposition but this project was defeated.

When the Council meets tonight, a lively time is promised on both the bond and water questions.

## BANK STORY IS DENIED.

NEW QUARTERS HAVE NOT AS YET BEEN FULLY DECIDED UPON.

The story that was circulated regarding the formation of a new National Bank in Oakland, naming the Central National Bank as the new bank, is denied by those who are back of the new institution.

The facts of the case are these: A majority of the directors of the Central Bank, connected with other financial men of the city of Oakland, are back of a new institution. W. H. Bucher, a man of finance from the East and former president of one of the principal banks in the State of Nebraska for many years, is one of the prime movers.

The new bank will be called the Oakland National Bank and will have a capital of \$1,000,000. The Girard Piano Company holds a lease of its present quarters which has one of the more modern temporary quarters until the expiration of the said lease. The bank will probably open its doors within sixty days.

The stock has already been subscribed for and fully paid in \$100,000. The list of the stockholders comprises a large number of capitalists and influential citizens.

Already there has been several times the amount of the stock applied for, with such strong support the bank will undoubtedly be a great success.

Several locations are now being considered by the bank's officials and a suitable place will probably be found soon for the new headquarters and a very suitable place is in view.

## MARCO WANTED TO KEEP TRUNK.

During the search warrant proceedings begun by Mrs. A. K. Lupton against A. Marco for the recovery of a trunk it developed that Marco wished to charge Mrs. Lupton 10 per cent a month or 120 per cent a year on a small loan. Because she would not pay it, Marco, who conducts a lodging-house on Twenty-first street, would not let her have the trunk until she paid him this morning.

Mrs. Lupton's possession of the trunk was not a great success.

## WOMAN ADMITS HER MISTAKE.

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EMERYVILLE, March 28.—The results of today's races were as follows:

FIRST RACE (Furty Co. se.)  
Orchard (Bonner), 8 to 1.  
North West (I. Powell), 11 to 10.  
Pivotal (Roach), 5 to 1.

SECOND RACE (Four Furlongs)  
Eduardo (See), 11 to 20.  
Grenore (Travers), 16 to 1.  
Antia Knight (J. T. Sheehan), 50 to 1.

THIRD RACE (Five Furlongs)  
Handpress (Buxton), 3 to 2.  
Our Pride (Crosswaite), 20 to 1.  
Time, 1:04 1/4.

FOURTH RACE (Six Furlongs)  
Spik Me. Seaforth and Ullagan also ran.  
Dr. Sherman, Rustic Girl, Mon oya and Brennus were scratched.

TOOK POISON BY MISTAKE.  
SACRAMENTO, March 28.—Frank Smith, an inmate of the county hospital, died this morning from the effects of a dose of carbolic acid, given to him by mistake for Epsom salts by an attendant named Thomas McDonald.

DISMISSES DIVORCE SUIT.  
Notice of the dismissal of the divorce suit of Byron W. Alden against Annie E. Alden was today given. He is postmaster at the stockyards and has been ordered his charge of cruelty made against his wife.

Honesty is the best policy.  
Schilling's Best:  
Your grocer's; moneyback.

## Does Not Take Much Stock in the Men Who Pillage and Devast Countries.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—Lieutenant-General Nelson A. Miles, formerly commander-in-chief of the United States Army, sent a letter of regret to the Democrat Club of Grand Rapids, Mich., which was to have given a banquet at Grand Rapids Monday evening. Owing to the floods in that region, the banquet was abandoned. General Miles authorizes the publication of the letter, which is in part as follows:

"Washington, March 23, 1904.  
"Mr. Peter Doran, President, Democrat Club, Grand Rapids, Mich.—My Dear Sir: I regret exceedingly that owing to a very serious illness in my family I find it impossible to be with you on the important occasion which brings the members of your club and distinguished Democrats from different parts of the country together."

"Having been invited to speak on the subject of patriotism, I should reply, were I there, that patriotism comes nearest the heart of every true citizen of our republic. It is especially fitting to give it serious consideration at this time, when we are menaced by serious evils—when we are approaching an important crisis in our political history, and the weal or woe of this republic will depend upon the intelligence and patriotism of the sovereign voters. Their action during the important event of the coming autumn will bless or seriously embarrass the future of this country. The leaders or participants in acts that only result in conquest, devastation, pillage and spoliation are not patriots. Alas, too often under the pretense of patriotism men have degraded it in ruthless and cruel enterprises deserving condemnation rather than commendation."

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## SCIENTISTS WORK IN DARK.

PROF. E. H. TWIGHT SAYS THEY KNOW LITTLE OF GRAPE VINE DISEASE.

BERKELEY, March 28.—That practically nothing is known about phylloxera, "Anasheem" disease and other grape vine maladies, although State and Federal departmental experts have spent more than twenty years in studying them, was the startling assertion made by Professor E. H. Twight last Saturday at a session of the California Viticultural Club in San Francisco.

Professor Twight opened the subject with a discussion of the work being done at the University and complained that his staff had been reduced from three men to one. As a result of this shrinkage a committee was appointed to wait on the Regents of the University to ask that an increased amount be appropriated for the viticultural department.

## GUNBOAT EISPIEGLE SHOULD NOT REMAIN.

LONDON, March 28.—The Under Foreign Secretary Earl Percy, announced in the House of Commons today that, despite the British Consul's request that the gunboat Eispiegle remain at New Chang, it has been decided after consultation with the commander-in-chief of the China station that it would be inadvisable to keep the vessel there.

## CONTRACTOR INJURED IN FALL.

BERKELEY, March 28.—As the result of a fall sustained while wiring a house in South Berkeley, Frank Fagan, a local electric contractor, is suffering from a severe injury. His leg was wrenched in such a manner that he has now been compelled to have it placed in a plaster cast.

## REPORT IS CORRECT.

BERLIN, March 28.—The Foreign Office says the report that Germany intends to make a naval demonstration against Venezuela in order to compel the prompt settlement of the rest of her claims is wholly incorrect.

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Medicine must fail in a germ trouble because medicine never kills inside germs. Any germ-killing drug is a poison to you, and it cannot be taken internally.

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### We Paid \$500,000.

For the American rights to Liquezone—the highest price ever paid for similar rights on any scientific discovery.

## PRIMARIES FIXED FOR MAY 3.

SUPERVISORS ESTABLISH SAME PRECINCTS AS THOSE OF LAST ELECTION.

At the meeting of the Board of Supervisors this morning all the members were present.

**ST. LOUIS FAIR.**  
Commissioners W. H. Wellby and Wilbur Walker of the St. Louis Fair Commission, reported expenditures of \$821.25. The statement was filed.

**SUBMARINE CABLE.**  
E. J. Ellis, county manager of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, reported that the submarine cable connecting the tower on the Webster street bridge with the central office of the telephone company, was injured and would have to be replaced by another, which would require an expenditure of \$125.

The matter was referred to the Road and Bridge Committee.

**POLL TAX ERRORS.**  
Poll taxes for various reasons were remitted at the instance of the following: Gustave Becker, James Stewart, E. V. Waite, Alexander McManus, S. H. Wilson, Jr., Miss Margaret Flynn, John G. Croll, D. E. Bernays, Richard Morrissey, Mrs. W. Smith, Charles C. Maletson, L. W. Norton.

The application of Bernard Nolan for remission of poll tax on the ground that he is over sixty years of age, was referred to the District Attorney.

**REQUISITIONS.**

Requisition from the auditor for a fee book and the County Clerk for a box of type were granted.

**NEW ROAD.**

A resolution was adopted declaring road 3875 in Decoto road district, running from H street to the road intersecting the road from Niles to Hayward, a county road.

**TIME CREDITS.**  
Reduction of sentences for good conduct in the county jail, granted to William F. Brown, John A. O'Keefe, John Hill and Samuel Lovenheim, prisoners in that institution.

**BUILD A TRESTLE.**  
On motion of Supervisor Rowe, the Ramsey Construction Company was allowed to build a trestle over the Fish Ranch road about half a mile south of the summit.

**RAIL COST.**

Sheriff Bishop reported the cost of feeding prisoners in the county jail from February 23 to March 24, \$361.75.

**ACCEPTS AWARD.**

Charles A. Moss, executor of the will of Gertrude A. Moss, deceased, notified the Board that he had accepted the viewers' award of \$408.80 for land of the estate taken for the Santa Fe road.

**PRIMARY ELECTIONS.**

The board adopted a resolution establishing primary election precincts for the primary election to be held May 3. The precincts are as follows: 1. Niles and Hayward, 2. Niles and Hayward, 3. Niles and Hayward, 4. Niles and Hayward, 5. Niles and Hayward, 6. Niles and Hayward, 7. Niles and Hayward, 8. Niles and Hayward, 9. Niles and Hayward, 10. Niles and Hayward, 11. Niles and Hayward, 12. Niles and Hayward, 13. Niles and Hayward, 14. Niles and Hayward, 15. Niles and Hayward, 16. Niles and Hayward, 17. Niles and Hayward, 18. Niles and Hayward, 19. Niles and Hayward, 20. Niles and Hayward, 21. Niles and Hayward, 22. Niles and Hayward, 23. Niles and Hayward, 24. Niles and Hayward, 25. Niles and Hayward, 26. Niles and Hayward, 27. Niles and Hayward, 28. Niles and Hayward, 29. Niles and Hayward, 30. Niles and Hayward, 31. Niles and Hayward, 32. Niles and Hayward, 33. Niles and Hayward, 34. Niles and Hayward, 35. Niles and Hayward, 36. Niles and Hayward, 37. Niles and Hayward, 38. 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## The Lesson of Experience

It was Patrick Henry who said: "I know no guide but the lamp of experience," or words to that effect. The people of Oakland would do well to consider this combined maxim and epigram of the great Virginia orator.

Some years ago a bond issue for public improvements was submitted to the voters of this city. It provided for the creation of a park in West Oakland and for the construction of a boulevard around Lake Merritt. Many citizens in West Oakland voted against the bonds because they were opposed to spending money for the improvement of Lake Merritt. On the other hand, many citizens of East Oakland voted against the bonds because they were opposed to creating a park in West Oakland. As a natural consequence the bonds were defeated, and the park was not created in West Oakland nor a boulevard constructed around Lake Merritt.

The whole plan of municipal improvement was thus defeated. Subsequently another bond issue was submitted and voted down because different sections of the city became arrayed against each other. The result is obvious to the most casual observer. There has been no improvement of any kind save that made by private enterprise. The conservatory and grass plat at the northern extremity of Lake Merritt, a beauty spot where once was an unsightly marsh, is the creation and gift of private citizens actuated by public spirit. As a corporation, the city of Oakland has done nothing in the way of beautification. Even the library building was the gift of a stranger. If the lamp of experience be taken as a guide the pitfalls into which our steps have fallen in the past will be avoided in future. Instead of pulling apart because of local jealousies, the citizens and property owners of the city will work together in unity and harmony. Whatever benefits one part of the city benefits every other part. Once the work of public improvement is fairly inaugurated, it will gather momentum and energy. No section of the city will be neglected or left untouched by the wand of progress. We have got to begin sometime and somewhere, and the beginning has already been postponed too long. Let us take the lamp of experience for a guide and go forward in a spirit of mutual self help.

One of the metropolitan acts Oakland has recently taken on is the appearance of a marching brigade at the Fourteenth street entrance of the Macdonough Theater at the close of each performance. Some of the chaps that ogled ladies, especially those unaccompanied by male escorts, are very enough to be spanked and sent to bed, but there are others to whom a more vigorous treatment would be applicable—clubs, for instance. This marching brigade is even more offensive than the statues who lounge in front of certain cigar stores. The ordinary person can see these abuses with the naked eye, but as the police are apparently blind to them, it would probably be well for the Council to equip the department with a searchlight.

William R. Grace, who died recently, had the distinction of being the first Catholic ever elected Mayor of New York City. He served two terms. A remarkable feature of one of his campaigns was the virulent fight made against him by the New York Herald on the specific ground that he was a Catholic. James Gordon Bennett, the proprietor of the Herald, is, as his father was before him, a Catholic, yet he fiercely disputed the right of a Catholic to be elected Mayor of the metropolis. The Herald claimed that the United States was a Protestant country and New York a Protestant city, and hence that its chief magistrates should be Protestants. Grace was elected, however, by a narrow plurality. Since then two Catholics, Grant and Gilroy, have been elected. It is worthy of note that Richard Croker, who joined the Catholic Church after reaching manhood, was the son of an Orangeman, noted for his hostility to Catholics.

Senator Burton says he took money from the Malto bunco concern because he needed the money. Admitting that he did need it, is that a justification of his conduct? His plea would as readily justify burglary or highway robbery.

General Miles indicates to the Prohibitionists that he would like to run for President, but requests them to keep quiet while he is fishing for the Democratic nomination. If he can get that, he would be glad to get the Prohibition nomination as a side boost. But Democracy and Prohibition don't agree with each other any better than holy water does with the devil.

Jim Hill's method of dividing up the railroad stocks constituting the Northern Securities pool is suggestive of the white hunter's plan of dividing the game with his Indian partner. No matter how it was stated, the buzzard fell to the Indian and the turkey to the white man.

Town Talk intimates that when Supervisor Samuel Braunhart asks a contractor "Why didn't you come and see me?" he really means "show me." Mayor Schmitz does things a little cuter than that. He asks, "Have you seen Ruef?" There's no second guess to that proposition.

## The Scourge of Tuberculosis

A short time ago Dr. S. H. Buteau of this city delivered an address on tuberculosis—its causes and prevention—that deserves the most widespread and serious attention. It pointed out an ever increasing danger to humanity and suggested rational methods of arresting the scourge. Two facts of tremendous importance stand out in Dr. Buteau's address:

1. One-seventh of the deaths in the world are due to tuberculosis.
2. Tuberculosis is a preventable disease.

Taken together these facts are of profound significance—a terrible condition that is within the power of man to obviate and alleviate if not wholly remove.

Tuberculosis is unknown to primitive man and to animals in their natural state. It is a disease produced by civilization—mainly by vicious habits and unwholesome living. It is not a climatic or a hereditary disease, as was formerly supposed, but is due to the operation of certain natural laws. It is the preying upon the vitals by a bacillus and is propagated by the conveyance from one to another of the germs of infection.

The most common mode of conveying tubercular infection is by expectoration. The disease is first germinated by the huddling of people and animals together in defiance of the laws of sanitation and hygiene, and the same conditions which create it promote its spread. Thus as mankind huddle in still greater throngs in great cities, tuberculosis, of which lung consumption is the most common and most deadly form, makes still more terrible ravages. Each patient is a walking generator of the infection. Whenever he coughs and expectorates he spreads poison in his vicinity. He does this innocently and involuntarily, but his presence and the habits induced by the nature of his malady are none the less deadly. The thing to be done, as Dr. Buteau points out, is to isolate tubercular patients so far as is possible and then to teach mankind to live properly and take proper measures to prevent the spread of infection. Cease propagating the dreadful malady by defying the laws of hygiene and sanitation and guard against inoculation by compelling others to refrain from practices that sow the seeds of destruction broadcast. Stop making household pets of animals that nature intended to run abroad and sleep, live and eat in the open air. Never expectorate on floors, carpets and streets, but if expectoration becomes absolutely necessary—as it sometimes does—discharge the spittle into some receptacle in which it will be kept moist; so long as it is moist the spittle of persons afflicted with tuberculosis is not particularly dangerous—it is when it gets dry and is blown about in the dust that it becomes a malignant agency of poison. All cuspidors should have some powerful disinfectant in them.

Consumption has become common in localities where it was unknown till recent years by the simple process of importation. The deaths in Los Angeles from tuberculosis are now one in seven. Formerly the disease was unknown there; but the people of that city advertised all over the world for consumptives to come there and be cured. Without knowing it they advertised for consumptives to come there and bring their infection. It was a fatal mistake. Other localities have made the same and fallen into the same terrible error.

Dr. Buteau points out that the crusade against tuberculosis must be mainly educational. The malady is one of the easiest to prevent and one of the hardest to cure; there is no specific antidote for it. For reasons unnecessary to state, the disease creates mental and physical conditions which render it extremely difficult for physicians to deal with effectively. Vaccination has arrested smallpox, but tuberculosis is a much more insidious disease than smallpox and it has no such antidote as vaccination. Philanthropy alleviates it for its victims, but it cannot furnish a cure; the safety of the race lies in prevention, and prevention can only come from intelligent effort, individual

and collective. In the work of prevention the physician is more of an educator than a healer. He can show the way by furnishing the technical knowledge and preaching the vital necessity of personal and household cleanliness, hygiene and sanitation; but he cannot enforce his teaching. That can only be done by the forces of public opinion. In appealing to intelligence and the law of self preservation he must be aided by all the agencies by which public opinion is created, propagated and directed—the press, the pulpit, the lecture platform and the school. Alone he can neither cure nor arrest the scourge of tuberculosis, a scourge that is becoming more dreadful, more deadly and more widespread with the increase in population, the multiplication of large cities and the development of rapid transit. It is the baneful fruit of uncleanness and the vicious habit.

## Hints for the Ladies.

An oddity in brooches is a small motor car in gold.

Sliver bracelets for the baby girl are offered for only 49 cents each.

A funny little Easter gift shows a chicken and a rabbit disagreeing over an egg.

The shops are very beautiful these days with their display of new things for spring and summer.

One of the oddest of coiffure ornaments is a glittering and jeweled snake that is to be laid around the coils of hair.

Long silk gloves are a feature of the shop and are a demand created by the present fashion of elbow-length sleeves.

A pretty dinner gown for a young miss is made of fine white voile over white silk and is trimmed with bands of pale blue silk.

Glass toilet sets for the dressing table come in green, blue, pink and white glass and are prettily decorated with gold tracery work.

Don't sit down to a table as soon as you come in from work or a round of social duties. Lie down or sit down for ten minutes, waiting until you can partake of your dinner with the physical machinery rested and refreshed.

Corsets that hook in the front and have a plain back are the latest in the corset line and are rather costly affairs. The lacing is directly on the front and the hooks are to one side.

There is a new coin holder just out. It is oblong in shape and has places for both 5 and 10 cent pieces. Made of silver and gun metal, it has a ring in one end and is to be attached to the long chain.

Pretty little dressing sacks of silk and fine flannels as well as lawn are to be had, cut all in one piece, angel sleeves and all, and finished about the edges with hand-worked scallops button-holed in colored silks.

A new couch pillow shows a very funny-looking dog, smoking, surrounded by pipes, champagne bottles and the like and bears the motto: "Every dog has his day." It is to be done in both solid and outline silk and with the heavy embroidery silks.

An aid to dressmakers is the sleeve form, which is made of iron, nickel-plated and is so light that it can be carried anywhere. It is of the proper shape to fit the sleeve and is adjustable, allowing both the upper and under part to be pressed by simply turning the form over.

A new and beautiful lining silk of the soft variety now used in dresses is shown that can be purchased for only 69 cents a yard. It is a lustrous and strong silk that is warranted to wear well and is used to make petticoats, negligee gowns, tea gowns, kimono and house waists as well. It can be had in any of the shades and is of good width.

Sage tea, when preserved by the addition of spirit, is useful in mild cases of hair falling, if applied with brisk friction. Garlic finely minced and distilled in the presence of gin yields another useful lotion.

In ordinary cases of blackheads, good results will follow rubbing into the skin soft soap dissolved in spirit of wine, followed some hours later by rinsing, and the application of hazel-tine, to which a little acetic acid has been added.

Rheumatic sufferers should always choose a dry climate, warm if possible, but dryness is the first essential. On the other hand a considerable degree of moisture in the air is positively beneficial in some forms of asthma, provided the temperatures be warm.

The mother who neglects to teach her children to wash their hands just before going to bed ought to suffer in some way. No one can have pretty hands unless they are perfectly clean just before retiring. Soap and warm water should be used, then they should be rinsed in clear water.

## March April May

There is a best time for doing everything—that is, a time when a thing can be done to the best advantage, most easily and most effectively. Now is the best time for purifying your blood. Why? Because your system is now trying to purify it—you know this by the pimples and other eruptions that have come on your face and body.

## Hood's Sarsaparilla and Pills

Are the medicines to take—they do the work thoroughly and agreeably. Accept no substitute.

## Chips From Other Blocks

Military experts in St. Petersburg have figured out what Japan must do. It will greatly simplify matters for Japan if the Russian generals believe what the experts say.—Chicago News.

"The Cap and Bells" is the latest local club of women. It will be some time, evidently, before the gentle sex gets to organizing itself under such titles as "The Broom and Frying-pan," or "The Crib and Nursing Bottle."—News Letter.

Still greater importance attaches to the statement that Senator Platt continues to be the boss of New York when you consider that he was lately married.—Los Angeles Times.

The stiletto hatpin is now on the market in Europe. One determined woman with a steel hatpin can do more to put down "mashing" than a regiment of policemen who are somewhere else.—Los Angeles Herald.

These ironical communications between the public service corporations which burn to do some thing kind for the city begin to assume the proportions of a large and buncious bore.—Ohio State Journal.

General Miles probably can have the prohibition nomination for President if he wants it, but he might have to take off one or two of his decorations to make room for it.—Chicago Tribune.

It is reasserted that the officers of the Russian fleet at Port Arthur were at the circus the night of the first Japanese attack. After that they stayed on board and let the circus come to them.—New York World.

Certain Boston papers are greatly shocked at Minneapolis' jump from "Parsifal" to "Chimie Fadden." Why, it only shows versatility.—Minneapolis Times.

Philadelphia will cast a representative named Castor upon the troubled Congressional waters at Washington.—Denver Post.

The next time Mr. Sulz finds himself a million or two ahead of the game perhaps he will be willing to stop at that. And perhaps he will not.—Chicago Tribune.

The "sweeping" nature of the merger decision does not seem to have deterred the Broom Trust from coming into existence with a capital of \$13,000,000.—New York World.

The war shadow fades off the isthmus. The Panama army is not big enough now to fill the offices and the Colombian is in an even happier state of uselessness.—Buffalo News.

So our former townsman, Grover Cleveland, is going to be a Free Mason and ride the goat. We pity the goat.—Catholic Union and Times.

## SOME PASSING JESTS.

Brown (in background).—That fellow over there in the high hat made a great hit ten years ago playing "Ten Nights in a Bar-room."

Smith.—What's he doing now?  
Brown.—Ten bar-rooms in a night.—Leslie's Weekly.

AID TO MEDIATION.  
Rose.—Do you eat chocolate creams during Lent?  
Bertha.—Well, our recto tells us to meditate, and I can always meditate better with a good box of candy in my lap.—Cincinnati Commercial Bulletin.

SURE REMEDY.  
"What can I do for my little boy?" asked mamma, "as that he won't want to eat between meals?"  
"Have the meals flogged together," replied the greedy young man.—Glasgow Evening Times.

DEFINITION UNSATISFACTORY.  
"Mamma, what is an epidemic?"  
"An epidemic, my child, is—er—something everybody has."  
"Then mamma is a nos. an epidemic!"—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

## POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

A man who can't talk and will talk should be muzzled.

Never judge a man's knowledge by the things he says.

It is usually the painstaking man who manages to avoid pain.

The mightiness of the hatpin exceeds that of both the pen and the sword.

A man knows just what to do in the hour of danger as long as the danger doesn't show up.

There aren't enough adjectives in the English language to enable a girl properly to describe her first beau.

Only a fool man would deliberately make an enemy by guessing within ten years of a woman's real age.

Woman's hand, in connection with her slipper, has played a very important part in the work of civilization.

Many a man sits around and growls about having to support a wife who works eighteen hours a day trying to support him.—Chicago News.

Dainty little pictures at eady framed in narrow black and oak frames, showing a great variety of subjects, are at the bargain counters for only a quarter.

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TRIBUNE all day Saturday, March

26, to obtain Munyon's Paw Paw Remedy.

Among the crowd were some of

our best-known citizens—half a dozen

doctors obtained a bottle. One of

them volunteered the remark that he

had heard of the curative qualities

of the remedy and would give it a

thorough trial. One of our leading

lawyers took a dose before he left

the office and said that "the expected

now to live as long as Methusalem did."

Most people seem to have an abiding

faith in this remedy, believing they are

going to be cured.

One old gentleman said that he be-

lieved in Munyon and in Munyon's

Remedy, that Munyon's Rheumatism

Cure has cured him of a chronic case

of Rheumatism that afflicted him for

more than fifteen years.

Another gentleman said if this reme-

dy is as good as his Kidney Cure it

should find its way into every home in

Oakland, as Munyon's Kidney Cure

had cured him of a bad case of Kid-

ney ailment.

The professor would possibly have

felt a little abashed could he have

heard the warm praise that a well-

dressed lady showered upon his family

remedies, which she said she kept con-

tinually in the house.

The crowd was so great at times

that the attendant was unable to hand

out the bottles fast enough, and one

or two bystanders were called in to

aid him.

We hope that every person who

suffers with dyspepsia, catarrh, or has

anything the matter with his stomach,

or any one who is nervous or cannot

sleep, obtained a bottle before the free

samples were all gone.

We would say to those who were un-

able to call for this free sample, that

this remedy is for sale in all the drug

stores throughout the State.

PRICE LARGE BOTTLES, 1c. PAW

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meeting took action in closing the gar-

bage dumps to take effect April 1st,

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## NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

## STUDENT IS THREATENED WITH BLINDNESS. PRACTICAL JOKER IS BUSY. EXHAUSTIVE SOIL NAMED TO EDIT BUSY WEEK - IS SCHEDULED AT UNIVERSITY.

## Crack of a Fireman's Whip Carries Serious Injury to Samuel Eastman.

BERKELEY, March 28.—To be struck in the eye with the end of a fireman's whip, receiving an injury that may cost him his eyesight, was the painful experience of Samuel Eastman, a member of the Junior Class at the State University, while watching a fire last Saturday. The pupil of young Eastman's right eye was fearfully lacerated and Dr. William Hopkins, the specialist to whom he was taken, at once expressed the opinion that it might be impossible to save the sight.

Today the injured student was resting comfortably and it was announced that his condition was greatly improved.

## INVITES THE STARGAZERS.

UNIVERSITY STUDENTS TO VISIT MOUNT HAMILTON.

BERKELEY, March 28.—Director Campbell of Lick Observatory will meet the class in modern astronomy and other students in the observatory on Mt. Hamilton Friday evening, April 15. This being the day before the intercollegiate field day at Stanford, arrangements will be made with the railroad company to give excursion rates to Mt. Hamilton, with the privilege of stopping over at Stanford for the field day on the return trip. The excursion is not limited to astronomical students. All officers and students of the University who wish to go should hand their names to Professor Leisinger by April 1. The cost of the trip, covering expenses, will be about \$3.

Director Campbell announced the following Lick astronomical lectures before the Measure of Alt. Ang. April 6, 11 a. m.

## HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

## SERMON IS MUCH ENJOYED. RAISE STANDARD OF COLLEGE. EDWARD SELTZER WILL HAVE NEW STREET. WILL DELIVER LECTURE. ENJOY A CLAM SUPPER. FRESHIES TO HOLD JINKS.

REV. E. M. HILL PREACHED TO A MUCH INTERESTED AUDIENCE.

GOLDEN GATE, March 28.—Both morning and evening services at Rev. Hill's church were highly attended yesterday. In the morning service Dr. Hill preached on the subject, "Christ's Triumph." He dealt with the experience through which our Savior passed and the triumph which He met. The idea of living is not to say what should be done, but to live the life of purity and goodness which will always lead to victory. All life is a battle, but we have always held up before us the example of the Christ.

NOTES.

There was some little practice of the baseball grounds Saturday, but the intercollegiate games were postponed until Friday. The boys' team represented and some of the Oakland boys came over to get themselves into shape. The bad weather has not been a hindrance to the final erection of the gates at the fair grounds, but as soon as there is a fair day the final installation will be completed.

There is still a rumor of the presence of burglars in this vicinity and though it was thought that the midnight maidens had finally departed, there is still a belief that there is a band in the vicinity from Fifth to Fifty-fourth streets. Individuals in this section and police in the dead of night have disturbed the residents. A sharp lookout is being kept by the police.

BILLIARD RECORD BROKEN.

NEW YORK, March 28.—George F. Slosson, the billiardist, has broken the world's record at 15-inch ball line, two shots, with a run of 291. The previous mark was 222, made in Paris last fall by Ora Morningstar.

Slosson's remarkable run was made in a practice game with a local player. He got the balls together early in the fifth inning. At 100 he had the balls in as perfect control as at the start, and before he missed, which was a rather easy chance, he had amassed 281 points.

## FEEL POORLY.

As spring approaches you commence to feel poorly and you wonder at the cause. You feel tired and out of sorts. Your head aches, you have no appetite and the blood is impure. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will quickly tune up the system, overcome that tired feeling and make life a pleasure. Test it for yourself. It also cures Dizziness, Bloating, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Insomnia, Liver Troubles, La Grippe and Malaria.

## HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS.

AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT IS PUT ON A BROADER BASIS.

BERKELEY, March 28.—The academic standard of the agricultural college of the State University has been raised to that of the other departments through important revisions in the curriculum. The curriculum requirements have been raised, the courses of study have been arranged to give students wider choices than they have before enjoyed.

The important feature of the change is the reduction in the prescribed work and the increase in the number of units allowed in free electives. Besides nine hours in the lower division, there will be taken in either division, and twelve units of advanced work in any department in the upper division. This amounts to almost two years of absolutely free choice in the selection of studies. The remaining twenty-four units in the 32 required for graduation may be taken in advanced studies in agriculture and in natural science. The courses included in this choice are agricultural chemistry, plant production, agricultural entomology and animal industry.

For those students who desire primarily to become acquainted with the theory of agriculture and the technique of agricultural practice and investigation, a full technical course has been arranged. The requirements of a graduation consist in the presentation of a thesis involving original investigation in some department of agriculture and the completion of 129 units of work. Here the electives in other departments are absolutely free. Excluding six units in English and mathematics, twelve units in foreign modern languages and nine units in military science and physical culture, the rest of the work must be confined to the colleges of agriculture and natural science. A total of thirty units must be taken entirely in the college of agriculture, and half of this number must be in advanced work.

These two outlines for work are needed to appeal to a large class of students since they will afford opportunity for both broad agricultural training and specializing. Should other arrangements be called for, there have been plenty of shorter courses arranged and for one year, designed for special cases that may arise.

"I LONGED FOR LOVE."

I longed for love, and eager to discover  
Its hiding place, I wandered far  
And as, forlorn, I sought the lone world  
Over,  
Unrecognized, love journeyed at my side.

I craved for peace, and priceless years  
Extended  
In unrewarded search from shore to shore;  
But, home returned, the weary seeking  
Ended,  
Peace welcomed me where dwelt  
My peace of yore.  
—Florence Earle Coates. In Outlook.

## SUMMONS UNDERTAKER AND MINISTER AT THE SAME TIME.

BERKELEY, March 28.—A practical joker who makes use of the telephone to summon all sorts of tradesmen on fruitless errands, has been causing endless annoyance to Mrs. Kate Colburn of 2819 Stuart street.

During the past few days an unknown person has summoned every sort of a dealer, to say nothing of a minister and an undertaker, to the Colburn residence.

An undertaker from Oakland called at the house last Friday night to answer a call that had been sent in by a woman and just as the dead wagon pulled up to the door, a Berkeley divine, who supposed that he was to perform a marriage ceremony, stepped on the threshold.

The police are seeking a clue of the would-be-joker.

## COMINGS AT GOINGS OF BERKELEYANS.

BERKELEY, March 28.—Miss Pearl Curtis of the University of California and a member of the Gamma Phi Beta sorority recently visited her parents at Napa.

A. A. Thomas has returned to Colusa after a visit to friends in Berkeley.

Mrs. U. W. Brown of Colusa is here from Colusa for a few weeks' sojourn.

C. Lawler of Fresno is here on a business trip.

Mrs. N. P. Williams of Louisa street has left for Willows with her son, Harold, to spend a couple of weeks.

D. R. Wood, a member of the San Jose Normal School faculty, is spending his vacation in Berkeley.

H. M. Hall, instructor in botany at the University of California is in Chicago examining the High School.

Frank Webster who is well known at the University is managing a quicksilver mine at New Almaden.

L. C. Kerr, the veteran railroad man, is going to the Southern part of the State next week on railroad business.

Harry J. Squires of North Berkeley is still ill.

Miss Mary Moore, who recently moved to Berkeley from the East and is attending Berkeley High School.

## KILLED BY A F.A.L.

HARTFORD, Conn., March 28.—A cablegram from Professor Lewis R. Bate of the Hartford Theological Seminary announces the accidental death of his wife with whom he was traveling in the Holy Land. The disaster happened when she was thrown from her horse while riding through a field near the seminary.

Miss Paton was the daughter of the late Chester Dwight Paton of Minneapolis.

## FRUITVALE MAN WHO WAS BEATEN BY THUGS IN SAN FRANCISCO.

FRUITVALE, March 28.—Dr. Edward Seltzer, who was badly beaten and robbed by three thugs in San Francisco a week ago, is still confined to his home on Fruitvale avenue. He was first removed to the Emergency Hospital in San Francisco, but afterwards crossed the bay so as to be under the care of his family.

In relating his experience Dr. Seltzer said that he first met the trio on Fourth and King streets in San Francisco. They followed him to Third and King streets, when one of the three sneaked up behind him and struck him on the head with a sandbag. He remembers nothing from that time until he regained consciousness some hours later in the hospital. His scalp was cut over his left ear and he received several severe bruises on the face and body.

The doctor cannot give any description of the men.

AH WAH NEE.

Friday night the Ah Wah Nee Tribe No. 55, Improved Order of Red Men, gave a banquet in Masonic Hall. The team captain, J. Fitzgerald, was presented with a handsome pair of black cuff buttons as a token for his service in drilling the team for the last competitive drill.

The Tribe was presented with the silver loving cup offered by Mr. Samuels of San Francisco, as a prize to the winning team.

The Tribe is busily engaged in arranging for a prize masquerade ball to be given April 3 at Thomas' hall, East Oakland. The committee on arrangements promise the ball to be the event of the season.

See that the *Shield of Quality* is on the Box.



If a dealer talks up imitation mantles he knows more about profits than he knows about mantles. All Dealers.

## DR. R. H. LOUGHRIDGE FORWARDS EXHIBIT TO WORLD'S FAIR.

BERKELEY, March 28.—Dr. R. H. Loughridge, assistant professor of agricultural geology at the University of California, has just forwarded an interesting exhibit of California soils to the St. Louis exposition. The soils are displayed in several hundred glass jars, the specimens representing twenty-eight different localities in the State. The samples were taken at varying depths below the surface and shows just how far down the soil is agricultural. Each jar is accompanied by data giving an account of where the soil was secured and a account of its chemical composition.

A comprehensive description of the entire exhibit accompanied the display. It describes in a practical way the value of each soil for particular purposes such as wheat growing, orange raising and so on.

According to Professor Loughridge, the exhibit shows that California possesses more soils, different in nature, and yet extremely fertile than any other section of the United States.

will depart for the Hawaiian Islands in the near future.

Miss Agnes Wolcott has returned to the University from Claremont where she was called through the death of her brother.

E. H. Harris is visiting in Nevada City.

J. H. Munroe of Willow is visiting here.

E. L. Armstrong is here from Colusa.

Miss Mattie Knox of Livermore has been visiting relatives here.

Miss Florine Fuller is recently the guest of Mrs. and Mr. George G. Fisher of Niles.

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A SEVERE OPERAT ON.

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Pneumonia left him with a persistent formation of pus in the pleural cavity. To relieve him, the surgeons removed the sixth and seventh ribs on the right side, and in their place substituted hard rubber tubes to drain the chest. It is expected that in about six months the pericostum of the missing ribs will form new bones. The patient is convalescing.

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Monday, March 28.—Art exhibit by California artists, Mark Hopkins Institute, continuing daily until April 21st. Members of the faculty desiring a non-transferable ticket of admission may secure the same by application to the assistant secretary of the San Francisco Art Association, Speech Verband, 1711 Euclid avenue, 7:30 p. m. Philological Club, Faculty Clubhouse, 7:30 p. m. papers, "The Metrics of Germanic Alliterative Poetry," Professor Hugo Schilling. "The Contemporary Italian Novel," M. J. Spillio.

Tuesday, March 29.—Civil Engineering Association, business meeting, 18 Mining and Civil Engineering building, 4 p. m. Y. W. C. A. speaker, Miss Helen Weeks, 7:30 p. m. subject, "The Sleeping Sickness in Tropical Countries," Professor C. A. Koford.

Friday, April 1.—University meeting, Harmon gymnasium, 11 a. m. Glee Club rehearsal, Harmon gymnasium, 4 p. m. Newman Club, Stiles Hall, 4:15 p. m. subject, "The Sleeping Sickness in Tropical Countries," Professor C. A. Koford.

## GLEE CLUB TO HOLD SERIES OF CONCERTS.

BERKELEY, March 28.—Several concerts by the Glee and Musical Clubs are scheduled for the near future, to be given in Harmon Gymnasium, in San Francisco and at Stanford.

The first of these concerts will be given on Monday, April 5, at 8 o'clock, at Stanford. The second will be given in Harmon Gymnasium on the 11th and a third in Stiles Hall, San Francisco, on the 15th. Each concert will be under the direction of Dr. S. W. Tucker.

On April 16 a joint concert with the Stanford Glee Club will be given at Stanford. The first will follow the field night of a late team will be provided for those who wish to stay at Stanford for the concert. The second will follow the field day and heating regatta with Washington.

## ELMHURST, March 28.—Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Arlett entertained a few friends at their home on Fifth avenue recently at a clam supper. The host acted as chef for the occasion. His dexterous manipulation of the culinary art was reported by the guests as being a first-class dish as royal as any that could be procured by the most exclusive epicurean. The banquet was heartily relished by the guests.

## REBECCAS TO ENTERTAIN.

Elmhurst Lodge, No. 27, Degree of Rebecca, will give a social on Saturday evening, April 3, in the Men's Hall. Card games will be played in the lodge room, while dancing will be indulged in by others in the large hall. 25 cents will be the price of admission.

DELIGHTFUL DANCE.

Saturday night a delightful dance was given by the Elmhurst Social Club in Red Men's Hall. The second degree feature of the evening. Dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

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## UNDESIRABLE

# UNDER MARTIAL LAW.

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RUSSIA NOTIFIES CONSULS RE-  
GARDING CONDITION OF  
NEUCHWANG.

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NEUCHWANG, March 28.—The  
civil administrator late yesterday  
evening notified all the foreign consuls  
and residents of Viceroy Alexieff's order  
placing the city and port of New-  
chwang under martial law, explaining  
that it had been so ordered for the  
purpose of safeguarding the commer-  
cial interests of the city.

Pending the publication of the full  
text of Viceroy Alexieff's order the

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"First—The exportation of jurisdiction and national residents in said territory are subjected to the same regulations regarding state of war.

"Second—All travelers arriving by sea and all cargoes entering port are to be inspected both by naval officers and customs officials.

"Third—The transportation of arms and ammunition is forbidden.

"Fourth—The exportation of contraband of war is forbidden.

"Fifth—Persons desiring to export contraband goods are required to deposit a sum of money as a guarantee for the cargo. This deposit is to serve as a guarantee that the cargo is not to be forwarded from neutral ports either to Japan or Korea.

"Sixth—The functions of the light-house and harbor guides in the River Yalu are suspended.

"Seventh—Contraband of war is to consist of such articles as are mentioned in the decree issued by the Czar, February 28, defining contraband of war.

"Eighth—List of contraband goods then follows. This list includes beans and bean cakes and other foodstuffs. The interference with this trade here, together with the operation of Article 5 above will stop New Sui-chang's trade."

day and numerous others due, will be able to ship cargoes.

The opinion of leading foreign residents and officials is that although the rights of neutrals remain unaltered by treaty, Russia assumes the power to null these rights, also consular jurisdiction and extritoriality rendering the positions of foreign consuls untenable.

In some quarters the order is regarded as an apparent challenge to neutral powers, especially to China on account of the appropriation of her territory and that it renders the United States surbust Helen and the British

ruiser Espiegle liable to an order to  
take port.

The consuls will await instructions from their respective home governments inasmuch as there is no law to guide the consuls' actions.

The property and trade interests of the foreign residents are prepared to be abandoned.

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## MOVEMENTS OF STEAMERS

Steamers due and to sail today and for the next seven days are as follows:

DEPART.	
For—	Sails.
Rosa—San Diego and way ports.	Mar. 27

Monita—Newport, San Pedro, etc.. Mar. 28

[illegible]

Eureka—Eureka, Arcata, etc....April 3  
Santa Rosa—San Diego and way  
Paris.....April 3

Steamers.	From.	Due.
of Puerto-Abasco.	Puget	Mar. 27
Sound and Victoria.	Mar. 27	
of Puget Sound.	Mar. 27	
Corona-Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Mar. 27	
Island-New York	Mar. 27	
Eureka-Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Mar. 27	
Alps-Santa Cruz and Monterey	Mar. 27	
Uraco-Mexican ports	Mar. 28	
of California-San Diego and	Mar. 28	
way ports	Mar. 28	
Alps-Santa Cruz and Monterey	Mar. 28	
Alameda-Honolulu	Mar. 28	
George W. Elder-Portland and	Mar. 28	
of California	Mar. 29	
Alps-Santa Cruz and Monterey	Mar. 30	
Centralia-San Pedro	Mar. 30	
export-New York via Panama	Mar. 31	
Alps-Rosa-San Diego and was	Mar. 31	
Alps-Santa Cruz and Monterey	Mar. 31	

matilla—Alaska, Puget Sound and Victoria	Apr.	1
Eureka—Eureka, Arcata, etc.	Apr.	1

Wyefield-Nanaimo, etc.	April 1
Gray's Harbor	April 2
Monmouth-Eureka, etc.	April 3
Seamline-Seattle and Tacoma	April 3
Arcata-Coes Bay	April 3

ARRIVED AT SAN FRANCISCO.

Stmr Pomona, Swanson, 22 hours from Eureka.
Stmr City of Puebla, Jepsen, 64 hours from Victoria.
Stmr Maggie, Corning, 3½ hours from

Stmr Arcata, Nelson, 80 hours from

dos Bay, via Port Orford 68 hours.  
Bark Rhoderick Dhu, Engalis, 16 days  
St. King.  
Schr Cyrus, Johnson, 11 days from  
acom.  
Schr Fannie Adie, Felcher, 15 days  
om Gray's Harbor.

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**SAILED FROM SAN FRANCISCO.**  
Stmr Maggie, Corning, Halfmoon Bay.  
Stmr George Loomis, Badger, Seattle.  
Stmr Santa Rosa, Alexander, San L.  
Schr Lizzie Vance, Jensen, Gray's Har-  
bor.

Schuh W. F. Witzemann, Peterson, Columbia River.  
Schuh Charles Hanson Bonney

Schr E. K. Wood, Hansen, Gray's Har-  
bor.  
Schr Lily, Rottger, Umpqua.

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